

HOUSE BILL NO. 329

INTRODUCED BY R. SOMERVILLE

A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT CLARIFYING THAT THE REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS FOR SEXUAL OFFENDERS AND VIOLENT OFFENDERS APPLY TO OFFENDERS SENTENCED IN ANOTHER STATE AND TO OFFENDERS WHO ARE UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF AN ENTITY IN ANOTHER STATE WHEN THOSE OFFENDERS ARE IN MONTANA; AMENDING SECTION 18, CHAPTER 375, LAWS OF 1997; AND PROVIDING AN IMMEDIATE EFFECTIVE DATE AND RETROACTIVE APPLICABILITY DATES."

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

Section 1. Section 18, Chapter 375, Laws of 1997, is amended to read:

"Section 18. ~~Applicability~~ Retroactive applicability. The provisions of Title 46, chapter 23, part 5, and of [this act] relating to registration apply retroactively, within the meaning of 1-2-109, to:

(1) sexual offenders ~~who are sentenced or who are in the custody or under the supervision of the department of corrections~~ who are sentenced by a state or federal court in any state on or after July 1, 1989, or who as a result of a sentence are under the supervision of a county, state, or federal agency in any state on or after July 1, 1989; and

(2) violent offenders ~~who are sentenced or who are in the custody or under the supervision of the department of corrections~~ who are sentenced by a state or federal court in any state on or after October 1, 1995, or who as a result of a sentence are under the supervision of a county, state, or federal agency in any state on or after October 1, 1995."

NEW SECTION. Section 2. Effective date. [This act] is effective on passage and approval.

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